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PATENT Attorney Docket No. 2002P15599US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor: C. Richter et al.) Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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Title: MOVING-BLADE ROW FOR FLUID-FLOW MACHINES

Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.